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In Application of : **BAR et al.**

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For

: DETECTING AND PROTECTING AGAINST WORM TRAFFIC
ON A NETWORK

December 7, 2006

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to an Official Action dated October 11, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks. This application contains claims 1, 4-26, 28-35, 38-60, 62-69, 72-94 and 96-108, all of which were rejected in the Official Action. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the remarks that follow.

Claims 1, 35 and 69 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, for use of language that the Examiner considered to be unclear. Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

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